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| First Named Inventor   | Kunio Sekiya   |
| Group Art Unit         | 1731           |
| Examiner Name          | Mark Halpern   |
| Attorney Docket Number | 24555          |

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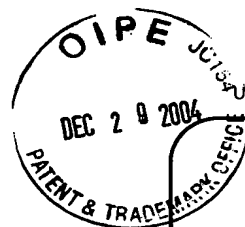
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| 101          | 1000     | 201          | 500      | Utility filing fee     |          |
| 106          | 430      | 206          | 215      | Design filing fee      |          |
| 107          | 660      | 207          | 330      | Plant filing fee       |          |
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## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

|                    |                          |     |   |              |   |   |                |    |   |          |   |
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| Total Claims       |                          | -20 | = | Extra Claims | 0 | X | Fee from below | 50 | = | Fee Paid | 0 |
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| Large Entity |          | Small Entity |          | Fee Description  |
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| 103          | 50       | 203          | 25       | Claims in excess of 20                                     |
| 102          | 200      | 202          | 100      | Independent claims in excess of 3                          |
| 104          | 360      | 204          | 180      | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid                      |
| 109          | 200      | 209          | 100      | ** Reissue independent claims over original patent         |
| 110          | 50       | 210          | 25       | ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |

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| 127          | 50       | 227          | 25       | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet                     |          |
| 139          | 130      | 139          | 130      | Non-English specification  |          |
| 147          | 2,520    | 147          | 2,520    | For filing a request for reexamination                                     |          |
| 112          | 920*     | 112          | 920*     | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action                     |          |
| 113          | 1,840*   | 113          | 1,840*   | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action                        |          |
| 115          | 120      | 215          | 60       | Extension for reply within first month                                     |          |
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| 120          | 500      | 220          | 250      | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                                     |          |
| 121          | 1000     | 221          | 500      | Request for oral hearing   |          |
| 138          | 1,510    | 138          | 1,510    | Petition to institute a public use proceeding                              |          |
| 140          | 500      | 240          | 250      | Petition to revive - unavoidable   |          |
| 141          | 1,500    | 241          | 750      | Petition to revive - unintentional   |          |
| 142          | 1,400    | 242          | 700      | Utility issue fee (or reissue)   |          |
| 143          | 800      | 243          | 400      | Design issue fee   |          |
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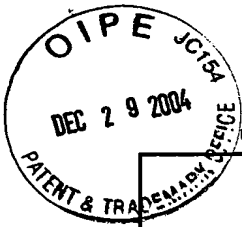
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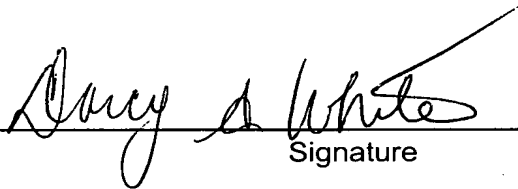
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Title: Pollution Control Method For Cylindrical Dryer Used in Paper Machine

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